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ABSTRACT

The 3-year Dean's Grant Project at Southern Illinois University-Carbondale was designed to: (1) create a set of materials and resources, relating to serving the handicapped, to be used in the training of teachers; (2) provide training for faculty on Public Law 94-142 and the implications of the law for training teachers and administrators; (3) develop and disseminate materials, relating to serving the handicapped, for use by students and faculty in the program; (*) involve in the change process personnel directly responsible for the program; and (5) integrate materials and activities developed by the project into existing courses and programs. The first year of the project was devoted to developing and disseminating materials to and planning activities for students in required education courses. The second year focused on the impact of the materials and activities on the supervisors of practicum student experiences, methods course instructors, and students. The objective of the final year was to familiarize administrators and other educational leaders with the needs, characteristics, and methods of instructing handicapped students. An evaluation is presented of the progress made in each of these 3 years. Appendixes include criterion-referenced tests used in the project, and a form for analyzing the experience of professional education centers with the handicapped. (JD)

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and Final Evaluation

The Development of the Dean's Grant Project,

In order to instill an awareness of the intent of P.L. 94-142 and provide students and faculty with a better understanding of Individual Educational Programs and mainstreaming, Southern Illinois University at Carbondale incorporated materials and activities relating to serving the handicapped into its Teacher Education Program. The project was the result of a Dean's Grant from the Office of Special Education,

Department of Education. Dr. Nancy Quisenberry, Associate Dean for Undergraduate Studies, College of Education, served as Project Director, and Dr. Sidney Miller, Special Education Trainer, assisted in the development of materials and activities. A coordination council made up of deans from the colleges having teacher education programs, the College of Education's Associate Dean for Undergraduate Studies, the department chairpersons, the coordinators of Professional Education Experiences and the Special Education Trainer advised the Dean of the College's development and implementation of the granty

The Plan for Integrating Special Education Concepts Into the Teacher Education Program

The goals for the three years of the Dean's Grant Project at SIU-C were as follows:

- To create a set of materials and resources relating to serving the handicapped which could be used by faculty members involved in the training of teachers.
- 2. To provide training for university personnel on P.L. 94-142 and the implications of the law for training teachers and administrators.

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- 3. To develop materials relating to serving the handicapped for use by students and faculty in the Teacher Education Program and to provide for the dissemination of these materials.
- 4. To involve in the change process those university personnel most directly responsible for the Teacher Education Program.
- 5. To integrate materials and activities developed by the project personnel into the College of Education's existing courses and programs for teacher preparation.

Formative Evaluation and the Dean's Grant Project

In recent years, changes in teacher education programs have resulted from pressure by legislative bodies and single issue advocate groups who have championed such causes as the handicapped and/or the multicultural student. Institutions depending on their social-political-cultural composition have attempted to address these issues through a variety of strategies, such as the development of new course(s) and/or the integration of the issue's theme into existing courses.

Regardless of the reason for change or the form such change takes, the procedure for evaluating the change is often either unaddressed or reflects informal or formal questioning of faculty and students.

Generally these procedures yield inconclusive data. Existing mechanisms, offering valid and reliable means of evaluating change, have been largely ignored.

In order to avoid this pitfall, the project staff adopted a formative assessment approach as the critical component in evaluating the project. It was thought that a formative evaluation process would facilitate the involvement of the faculty, aid in the development of products, and best determine their efficacy. Too often those responsible for educational change assume that the evaluation process has only one purpose: To determine the end result of change. However, it is important to realize that evaluation may be used to develop, refine and monitor change in education programs. This distinction has received relatively little attention in the field of education.

The Formative Evaluation Process

The evaluation process occurred at the following levels:

- 1. A nineteen item pre-post criterion referenced test was administered to students in the education program in order to assess their prior level of knowledge and attitude concerning the handicapped and to determine the impact of the materials and related class lectures.
- 2. Upon completion of the workshops and site-visits, the faculty and students were asked to evaluate these activities via a survey with regards to their relevance, usefulness, and format.
- 3. Prior to the dissemination of materials to students, the faculty responsible for those courses evaluated the materials in terms of their relevance, usefulness. and format.

the faculty, the materials were disseminated to the students where they were again evaluated with regards to their usefulness, relevance and format.

The criterion acceptance level established for inclusion of material in a course program was that at least 80 percent of the faculty and students must find the information useful, relevant and presented in an understandable manner.

Through a formative evaluative approach, the project staff obtained valuable input from the faculty and students in the target courses.

It is the staff's impression that faculty members were more interested in integrating materials in classes that they had helped to design.

Their involvement also made them better able to modify the materials as the need arose.

First Year

The first year of the project (1979-80) was devoted to the development and dissemination of materials and activities to students in the following curriculum areas: '1) the general technique and procedure course,

2) the general educational psychology course, and 3) the history/
philosophy of education course. These courses were selected because they are required for all the undergraduate students in the College of Education.

Materials

The materials designed for inclusion in the general technique and procedure course contained information on the role of the regular educator in the education of the handicapped, an annotated bibliography,

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a listing of national agencies and a listing of diagnostic tools. The materials designed for inclusion in the general educational psychology course contained information regarding the characteristics of handicapped students and a glossary of terms. The materials designed for students in the history/philosophy of education course contained information on the history of special education and a summary of related litigation and legislation. (Note: These sets of materials are available from the University's Bookstore.)

Evaluation

The criterion level established for the eventual integration of any material into the existing curricula for the following year was that 80 percent of the faculty and students judge the material to be relevant, useful and presented in an understandable format.

Faculty Survey

The instructors of the general educational psychology course agreed that the materials in their package were presented in an understandable manner and would be relevant and useful to them and their students.

The instructors of the general technique and procedure course indicated that, while the entire package they received was understandable and useful, only the Role of the Regular Educator in the Education of the Handicapped and the Selected Annotated Bibliography was pertinent to their class.

The instructors of the history/philosophy of education course favorably evaluated their informational packages, but indicated a preference to present the information via computerized instruction. (See Table 1)



Table 1

Results of Faculty Survey of Dean's Grant Materials

								
Questions	P.L. 94-142 Origins and	Foundations	Special Education Materials		Classroom Instruction and Behavior	*	, t	Diagnostic rests
Do you feel this in-	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No ,	Yes	No
formation is rele- vant to:	•	′.						
a) you? b) your students	6 6	0 0	10 10	0	22 NA*	6 NA*	2	2 3
Do you feel this information to be useful to:				,		·.		
<pre>a) you? b) your students?</pre>	6 6 •	00	9 10	1 0	22 · NA*	6 NA*	1 0	3 4
Is this information presented in an understandable manner?	6	0	. 10	. 0	28	. 0	4	0

^{*}NA - Not Applicable

Student Survey.

The results of the student survey were very positive, with over 95 percent of the students surveyed responding favorably to questions regarding the relevancy, usefulness, and format of the informational packages. (See Table 2)

Criterion Reference Test Pre-Post Results

Three criterion reference tests were developed to assess the impact of the materials disseminated to the students (Appendix A). These tests were designed to establish whether the students had achieved a more complete understanding of the issues concerning the education of the handicapped. The pre-post tests included questions designed to assess whether the student's attitudes toward the education of the handicapped had changed as a result of reading the material developed by the Dean's Grant personnel and experiencing classroom lectures which parallel the materials.

Knowledge. Students enrolled in the general educational psychology course (N=227) were pre-tested on an eight item criterion referenced test which was developed to ascertain the students' current level of knowledge concerning the characteristics of handicapped students. Following the pre-test, the students were provided the informational package which was developed for their class and received classroom lectures concerning special education. The mean of the pre-test was 4.64 with a standard deviation of 1.38. The mean of the post-test was 5.48 with a standard deviation of 1.27. This data was analyzed via a one-way analysis of variance. The results indicated that students' knowledge significantly increased (p < .01) during the semester. (See Table 3)



Table 2
Results of Student Survey on Dean's Grant Materials

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Question's	P.L. 94-142	· 	ىد	Handicapped Students	le o duca	Education of Handi- capped	, messon,		<u>-</u>
,	Yes	No ·	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Do you feel this information is relevant to you?	100	6	215	5	. 240	. 7	~ 226	5	1
Do you feel this information will be useful to you?	190	6	215	5	240	7	, 215	5 .	7
Do you feel this information is presented in an		•		•	٠				•
understandable manner?	196	0	290	0	247	0	220	0	

Students enrolled in the general technique and procedure course (N=253) were pretested on an eight item criterion referenced test which was designed to assess their current level of knowledge concerning the role of the regular educator in the education of the handicapped. Prior to the administration of the post-test, the students were provided their informational package and attended lectures concerning this issue. The mean of the pretest was 4.7 with a standard deviation of 1.5. The mean of the post-test was 5.5 with a standard deviation of 1.8. An

Table 3 Characteristics of Handicapped Students
EDUC 301

Source of Variance	ŞS	đ£	MS ~	F
Model	30.79	. 1	30.79	16.52*
Error	421.26	226	1.86	•
Corrected Total	452.05	227 •	•	5.0

*p ∠.01

An analysis of variance indicated a significant increase in knowledge (p < .01) during the semester. (See Table 4)

Students enrolled in the history/philosophy of education course (N=201) were pretested on a criterion referenced test which was developed to assess their level of knowledge concerning the history of special education and the legislative precedents leading to the passage of P.L. 94-142. Prior to the administration of the post-test, the students were provided their educational package and participated in classroom

Table 4

The Role of the Regular Educator EDUC 302

			•	
Source of Variance	SS	df	MS	, F
Model	33.37	. 1′	39.37	21.17*
Error	468.56	252	1.85	~
Corrected Total	507.94	253	,	1

lectures concerning these issues. The mean for the pre-test was 3.06 with a standard deviation of 1.28. The mean for the post-test was 3.84 with a standard deviation of 1.37. An analysis of variance indicated a significant increase in knowledge (p 2.01) during the semester.

(See Table 5)

Table 5

P.L. 94-142 Origins and Foundations
EDUC 303

Source of Variance	SS	df	MS	F .
Model	30.11	1	30.11	16.83*
Error	357.98	. 200	1.79	•
`Corrected Total	388.09	201		Š

*p 4.01

Attitude. All students were pre-post tested concerning their attitudes towards the education of the handicapped in the least restrictive environment.

Pre-test scores of the students enrolled in the general educational psychology course indicated that only 45 percent originally felt that handicapped students could receive a better education in the regular classroom. Post-test scores indicated an increase from 45 percent to 75 percent during the course of the semester. On the pre-test, 50 percent of the students believed that regular teachers should be trained to work with handicapped students. Post-test scores demonstrated an increase from 50 percent to 95 percent in regard to such training.

Students enrolled in the general technique and procedure course were pre-post tested on their attitudes regarding their role in the education of the handicapped. Although the pre-post test results showed very little increase, this can be attributed to the very positive attitudes these students professed on the pre-test.

Students enrolled in the history/philosophy of education course also demonstrated an attitudinal change from pre to post-test. Approximately 20 percent of these students indicated on the pre-test that education of the handicapped is unnecessary and should be conducted in institutions. The post-test results indicated a change with 90 percent of the students perceiving that education of the handicapped is appropriate and best accomplished in the regular classroom.

Second Year

During the second year of the project (1980-81), center coordinators (supervisors of practicum student experiences), method course instructors, and all of the students in these experiences were impacted.

Miterials

A questionnaire which was designed to obtain information regarding the number of handicapped students mainstreamed in each center coordinator's region was developed (Appendix B). It was felt that this information would facilitate the assignment of appropriate practicum sites. (Clark, Miller, Quisenberry, 1981) The questionnaire was completed by 12 center coordinators responsible for the placement of practicum/intern students in 79 schools and/or districts. The information was analyzed via analysis of variance to determine if there were differences between

regions (Southern, Northern, Central, Urban, Rural and Suburban) in terms of the percentage of handicapped students served. The results indicated that a greater percentage of handicapped students were being served in the suburban regions as compared to the rural regions.

The educational materials developed for the center coordinators and their students contained information on the various instructional materials that have been developed for special populations. The materials designed for the method course instructors and their students contained information on teaching and management strategies that have been used successfully with handicapped students, and a list of diagnostic tests used by special educators to assess handicapped children and youth.

Activities

The project staff provided site visits to various mainstreaming programs for the center coordinators and the method course instructors.

The following districts were visited:

- Special School District of St. Louis County,
 St. Louis, Missouri
- Carbondale Community High School District 165, Carbondale, Illinois
- 3. Wabash and Ohio Valley Special Education District,
 Norris City, Illinois
- Springfield Public School District, Springfield,
 Illinois
- 5. Carrie Bussey School, Champaign, Illinois

The project staff and personnel from Southern Illinois University Specialized Student Services also conducted disability awareness

workshops for the faculty. Four handicapped individuals participated in these workshops which were designed to address the realities of mainstreaming.

Evaluation

Site Visits. A total of fifteen faculty participated in the five site visits. Their feedback was positive, with three faculty submitting descriptions of their experiences for publication in the Dean's Grant Newsletter.

Disability Awareness Workshops. At the conclusion of the workshop the faculty (N=15) indicated that the experiences aided them in understanding the problems that handicapped students experience in public schools and that this understanding would help them better prepare prospective teachers to integrate handicapped students into their class-rooms.

Material. Feedback regarding the material was positive. The center coordinators indicated that the material designed for them was useful, relevant and presented in an understandable format. (Clark, et.al., 1981) The evaluation of the material disseminated to the method course instructors was also positive, with 85 percent of the respondents indicating that they plan on disseminating the material to their students.

Third Year

The third and final year of the hean's Grant Project (1981-82) focused on personnel in the areas of educational administration, educational leadership, and other individuals involved in the process of educational administrative certification. The objective was to familiarize them with the needs, characteristics and methods of instructing handicapped students.

Materials

The material designed for the department administrators and preservice administrators was intended to familiarize them with six task areas the project staff considered central to the administrator's role in the implementation of 'P.L. 94-142. The six task areas are:

- 1. School Finance
- 2. Curriculum and Instruction
- 3. Pupil Personnel Service
- 4. Staff Recruitment, Employment and Training
- 5. School/Community Relations
- 6. Physical Facilities

A list of suggested readings, covering areas such as administration of and responsibilities, Barrier Free Access, and Parent's Rights was also disseminated to the faculty. (Beggs, et.al., 1982)

·Activities

In order to become more familiar with an operational special education program the educational administration faculty and members of the educational certification committee visited the St. Louis Special Education School District. They met with the district's superintendent as well as other central office personnel, and observed a number of special education programs designed to promote appropriate education in the least restrictive environment. In addition, they met with district administrators who discussed legal, financial, and personnel issues relevant to the conduct of Public Law 94-142.

Evaluation

Materials. There was 95 percent (N=20) agreement among the faculty that the materials they received were useful, relevant, and understandable.



They further asked that the materials be duplicated so that they could be used with students in selected general administrative courses.

Site Visit. All of the faculty who visited the St. Louis Special.

Education School District reported finding the trip beneficial in terms of increasing their understanding of special populations, the related services, and understanding the legal and financial aspects of P.L. 94-142.

Determining the Effectiveness of the Infusion Effort on the Teacher, Education Program

In order to determine the efficacy of the Teacher Education Program at Southern Illinois University at Carbondale a questionnaire was developed and administered to all incoming students who indicated that they were majoring in the field of education (N=524) and all students who had recently completed all of their course work and were currently in the internship phase of their program (N=297). The questionnaire was composed of 19 multiple choice questions ranging from those concerned with the law to questions on the role of the regular educator in teaching the handicapped youth.

The results of the responses by the incoming teacher education students are shown in Table 6

As can be seen from the results those students having completed, their course work were better able to answer all of the 19 questions. For example, question number 14, which deals with the regular teacher's role in the education of the handicapped student, was answered correctly by 87 percent of the student teachers as opposed to 20 percent of those students entering the program.

Table 6

Summary of Responses to the <u>Quisenberry/Miller Questionnaire</u>: <u>Assessment of Knowledge on Education of the Handicapped</u> by Incoming Teacher Education Students by Frequency and Percentage

Qı	uestionnaire Item	Freq.	ponse Percent
l. Ide	entification of students with learning problems/handicaps		•
	ould begin with:		•
**a)	the regular classroom teacher.	322	61:4
bl	•	150	28.6
c)		23	4.4
d)	· social workers. UR*	13 16	2.5 3.1 ·
		10	3.1
. Reg	gular educators.		
**3)	should be trained to mainstream handicapped students.	183	34.9
b)		21	4.0
c)	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	107	20.4
d)		202	38.6
	UR	11	2.1
	cle the person or persons who you feel should be involved in the religionment of a handicapped student's I.E.P.		
a)	Parents	16	3.1
b)		44:	0.&
	Special educators .	28	5.3
	'St udent	7	1.3
**e)		427	81.5
- ,	UR	42	8.0
	eparing handicapped students for job awareness and job training		
a)		77	14.7
	a benefit to the handicapped and the community.	430	82.1
c)		3	0.6
d)	a waste of time. UR	7 7	1.3
	UK	. /	ļ.3
. The	problems of the handicapped	,	*
a)			
	regular classroom.	41	7.8
b)		30	5.7
**c)		439	83.8
d)	a burden on the schools. UR	4 19	0.85
	UN '	10	1.9
. Of has	the behaviors listed below, which one <u>best</u> describes a student who a visual perception problem?	,	
a)	Has difficulty seeing objects that are far away	117	22.3
b)	Rubbing his eyes frequently	54	10.3
**c)		329	62.8
d)		10	1.9
	UR ,	14	2.7
	ch of the following is an underlying deficit exhibited by a dent who is having an <u>auditory perception</u> problem?		
	Inability to discriminate sounds	284	54.2
**a)		89	17.0
**a) b)	watching lips of someone communicating with him	09	1/10
b)	Watching lips of someone communicating with him Uses sign language	13	2.5
b) င)		_	

*UR = Unusable Responses
**Correct Response



	•		Resi	ponse
			Freq.	Percent
ınt	a student is experiencing difficulties in academic or social eractions, and is suspected of being educationally handicar first thing the classroom teacher is required to do is:	oped,		
			•	,
a) b)	send a letter to the parents of the student. implement an individualized education program.		233 49	44,4 9,4
**c)	make a referral.		145	27.7
4)	develop a special program for the student.		72	13.7
	UR .	1	25	4.7
	ch are the major sensory areas that are important to the education of a student?	lucationa	11	
	Snooth		2	. 0.4
a)	Speech Vision		4	0.4
-	Hearing		5	≠ 0.9
* *d)	b and c	· ·	33	6.3
e)	all of the above		467 13	89.1
	UK		13	2.5
	ch of the persons below have been delegated the responsibile referring a student for a case study evaluation?	ity		
.	Regular classroom teacher		75	14.3
b)	Parents		25	4.7
c)	Special education teacher	1	34	6.5
(L**	Any one of the above		359	68.5
	UR		31	6.0
11. The	primary role of the multidisciplinary team is to:			`
a)	do preschool screening.	,	23	4.4
b)	assess the handicapped student's level of functioning.	•	65	12.4
()	refer handicapped students for a case study evaluation.		33 89	6.3
**d) e)	a and b all of the above .		268	17.0 51.1
٠,	UR ,		146 ,	8.8
	of following are mandated components of the Individualized Economic exception	lucation		
	Service of the servic			
. a)	the student's level of performance.	•	73	13.9
• * b)	due process hearing.	•	187 56	35.7 10.7
e) d)	short-term objectives. special education and related services	ŧ	53	10.7
e)	annual goals.	•	88	16.8
•	UR	(67	12.8
13. An	Individual Education Program is:		\	
15. 40	individual Educación Frogram 15.	, •		
a)	a legally binding document.	-	19	3.6
**b)	only for handicapped students.		65	12.4
c)	for all children in our schools.		190 101	36.3 19.3
d) e)	b and c all of the above		99	18.9
٠,	UR ,		5 0	9.5
		_		
the	gular classroom teachers are responsible for participating is education of the handicapped due to the Congressional gislation of:	,n ~~ '		
2)	the Hatch Act.		47	9.0
ą) b)	the 1964 Civil Rights Act.		83	15.8
**c)	the Adjournment Resolution of 1975.		106	20.2
(ل ب	P.L. 94-142		157	30.0
	UR .		131	25.0
*UR = 11r	nusable Responses .	•		~
	Response		: /	
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			Resp	onse
			Freq.	Percent
15.	Noor rest	rictive environment possible for handicap students?		,
	3 ;	Special education classroom	. 69	13.2
	*b)	Regular classroom	` 78	14.9
•		Special school	46	8.8
	di	Regular classroom with supportive services, e.g. resource room	184	35.1
		Institutions	28	5.3
	-,	UR	119	22.7
16.		regation of handicapped individuals was supported by the owing philosopher(s).	•	•
	*	Plato	32	6.1
	b)	John Locke	76	14.5
		Jean Jacque Rosseau	59	11.3
	J)	None of the above	214	40.8
7	•	UR .	143	, 27.3
1".	in (a) b) c) *d)	th of the Following individual(s) are considered to be pioneers the education of the handicapped? Jean-Marc Gaspand Itard Edward Sequin Maria Montessori All of the above UR	58 40 70 198 158	11.1 7.6 13.3 37.8 30.2
18.		constitutional amendment that requires states to provide equal tection of the law to all its citizens is:		
	a }	5th amendment	86	16.4
*	•6)	14th amendment	180	34.4
	0)	6th amendment	51	9.7
	d)	4th amendment	[,] 65	12.4
		UR	142	. 27.1
19.	The edu	Supreme Court decision that assured that those states providing cational services to any citizens must be provided to all is		•
	a)	Doe vs. Board of School Directors of the city of Milwaukee	28	5.3
	b)•		86	16.4
·	*01	Brown et. al. vs. Board of Education of Topeka et. al.	189	, 36.1
	d)	Beattle vs. State Board of Education	66	12.6
	G,	UR Search Source Source of Education	• 155	2,9.6

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Table 7

Summary of Responses to the Quisenberry/Miller Questionnaire: Assessment of Knowledge on Education of the Handicapped by Student Teachers by Frequency and Percentage

Qų	estionnaire Item	Res Freq.	ponse • Percent
l. Ide	ntification of students with learning problems/handicaps uld begin with	/	, •
	, .	235	, ` 79.1
**4)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	233 39	, * 13.1
b)	special educators. ** psychologists.	8	2.7
	social workers.	7	2.4
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Reg	ular educators:		
**a)	should be trained to mainstream handicapped students.	140	47.1
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b) ೮)		22	7.4
d)		117	39.4
٠,	UR	6	2.0
	cle the person or persons who you feel should be involved in the elopment of a handicapped student's I.E.P.		
a)	Parents	8	2.7
,	Regular classroom teacher	9	3.0
(ت	Special educators	16	5.4
(b.	Student	5	1.7
••e)	All of the above	242	81.5
	UR · ·	17	5.7
wil a)		28 253	9.4 85.2
**b)		5	1.7
c)		` 2	0.7
(لد	a waste of time.	6	2.0
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5. The	problems of the handicapped		
a)	too difficult for regular educators to mediate in the	, ,	
	regular classroom.	15 6	•5.1 2.0
b)		266	2.0 89.6
**c)		200	0.7
٦)	a burden on the schools.	7,	2.4
	the behaviors listed below, which one best describes a student who a visual perception problem?		,
a)	Has difficulty seeing objects that are far away	40	13.5
b)		27	9.1
,	Inubility to discriminate between different symbols	214	72.1
ď)		3 ,	1.0
	UR	13	4.4
	ch of the following is an underlying deficit exhibited by a dent who is having an <u>auditory perception</u> problem?		•
	•	194	65.3
* 1)		31	10.4
	Watching lips of sameone communicating with him	10	3.4
	Uses sign language	46	15.5
CI 1	Inability to hear a stimulus UR	16	\$.4
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	<u>Respo</u>	onse Percent
8. If a student is experiencing difficulties in academic or social interactions, and is suspected of being educationally handicapped, the first thing the classroom teacher is required to do is:	,	,
a) send a letter to the parents of the student. b) implement an individualized education program. **c) make a referral. d) develop a special program for the student. UR	75 14 167 19 17	25.3 4.7 56.2 6.4 5.7
9. Which are the major sensory areas that are important to the educational growth of a student?	1 -	4
a) Speech b) Vision c) Hearing **d) b and c e) all of the above UR	0 2 10 31 245	0.0 0.7 3.4 10.4 82.5 3.0
10. Which of the persons below have been delegated the responsibility for referring a student for a case study evaluation?	· -,	
a) Regular classroom teacher b) Parents c) Special education teacher **d) Any one of the above UR	42 6 20 210 15	14.1 2.0 6.7 70.7 5.1
11. The primary role of the multidisciplinary team 1s to:	8	2.7
a) do preschool screening. b) assess the handicapped student's level of functioning. c) refer handicapped students for a case study evaluation. **d) a and b e) all of the above UR	54 9 46 163 17	18.2 3.0 15.5 54.9 5.7
12. The following are mandated components of the Individualized Education Program exception:		
a) the student's level of performance. **b) due process hearing. c) short-term objectives. d) special education and related services e) annual goals. UR	31 139 30 36 30 31	10.4 46.9 10.1 12.1 10.1 10.4
13. An Individual Education Program is:		
a) a legally binding document. **b) only for handicapped students. c) for all children in our schools. d) b and c e) all of the above UR	39 90 48 52 52 16	13.1 30.3 16.2 17.5 17.5
14. Regular classroom teachers are responsible for participating in the education of the handicapped due to the Congressional legislation of:		
the Hatch Act. b) the 1964 Civil Rights Act. **e) the Adjournment Resolution of 1975. d) V.L. 94-142 UR	4 13 8 259 11	1.3 4.4 2.7 87.2 3.7

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15.	Ącc res	ording to Deno's cascade which of the following is the least trictive environment possible for handicapped students?		•
	زد	Special education classroom	-20 ^a	6.7
•	•b)		69	23.2
	c)		17	5.7
	d)	Regular classroom with supportive services, e.g. resource room	169	57.0
	e)	Institutions	3	1.0
		UR	. 19	6.4
16.		regation of handicapped individuals was supported by the lowing philosopher(s).	•	
*	*a)	Plato	. 22	7.4
	b)	John Locke	65	21.9
		Jean Jacque Rosseau	47	15.9
	d)	None of the above	132	44.4
		UR . ,	31	10.4
17.	Whi in	ch of the following individual(s) are considered to be pioneers the education of the handicapped?		
	a)	Jean-Marc Gaspand Itard	34	11.4
	b)-	Edward Sequin	22	7.4
		Maria Montessori	71	24.0
*	*d)	All of the above	129	43.4
		UR .	, 39	13.1
18.	The pro	constitutional amendment that requires states to provide equal tection of the law to 411 its citizens is:		
	a)	5th amendment	62	20.9
	*b)	14th amendment	142	47.9
	c)	6th amendment	34	11.4
	d)	4th amendment	27	9.1
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19.	The edu	Supreme Court decision that assured that those states providing cational services to any citizens must be provided to all is	f	
	a) .	Doe vs. Board of School Directors of the city of Milwaukee	18	6.1
		Spangler vs. Board of Education	25	8.4
*	*c)	Brown et. al. vs. Board of Education of Topeka et. al.	203	68.4
	J)	Beattle vs. State Board of Education	20	• 6.7
		UR ·	30	10,1

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Summary

Evaluation of the Dean's Grant Project, indicates that the target audience has been positively effected and the goals, conceived nearly four years ago, have been met.

The project has accomplished the following:

- 1. Fully infused preparation for teaching the handicapped in mainstreamed settings in all undergraduate teacher education majors.
- Established field experience with handicapped children and youth for all pre-service teachers.
- 3. Planned for the integration of teaching the handicapped in all undergraduate method courses.
- 4. Incorporated into all levels of the administrative certification program, administrative preparation for P.L. 94-142.

A Pert Chart summarizing activities for the three years follows.



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Appendix A
Criterion Referenced Tests

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Test One Role of the Regular Educator in the Education of the Handicapped

- 1. Which of the persons below have been delegated the responsibility for referring a student for a study evaluation?
 - a) Regular classroom teacher
 - b) Parents
 - c) Student (when appropriate)
 - d) Special education teacher
 - e) Any one of the above
- 2. Which of the following personnel participate in a multidisciplinary team staffing?
 - a) Regular classroom teacher
 - b) Parents
 - c) · Special educators
 - d) Student (where appropriate)
 - e) All of the above
- 3. The role of the multidisciplinary team is to:
 - a) determine an appropriate educational placement of a student.
 - b) assess the handicapped student's level of functioning.
 - c), refer handicapped students for a case study evaluation.
 - d) a and b
 - e) all of the above



- 4. Which of the following are not the role of a regular classroom teacher in the education of the handicapped student?
 - a) Working cooperatively with special education personnel
 - b) Participating in the I.E.P. meeting .
 - e) Writing an I.E.P.
 - d) Referring a student for a case study evaluation
 - e) all of the above
- 5. What are some of the school-related services for the handicapped student?
 - a) Social work service
 - b) Counseling service
 - c) Psychological service
 - d) Transportation
 - e) All of the above
- 6. The following are mandated components of the Individualized Education Program except:
 - a) the student's level of performance.
 - b) due process hearing.
 - c) short-term objectives.
 - d) special education and related services.
 - e) annual goals.
- 7. An Individual Education Program is:
 - a) a legally binding document.
 - b) only for handicapped students.
 - c) for all children in our schools.
 - d) b. and c
 - e) all of the above



- 8. Regular classroom teachers are responsible for participating in the education of the handicapped due to the Congressional legislation of:
 - a) the Hatch Act.
 - b) the 1964 Civil Rights Act.
 - c) the Adjournment Resolution of 1975.
 - · d) P.L. 94-142.
- 9. Providing handicapped students the least restrictive education would

be best accomplished in:

- a) special education class poom.
- b) special school.
- c) regular classroom with supportive services.
- d) institutions.
- 10. Circle the person or persons who you feel should be involved in the development of a handicapped student's I.E.P.
 - a) Parents
 - b) Regular classroom teacher
 - c) Special educators
 - d) Student
 - e) All of the above
- 11. Preparing handicapped students for job awareness and job training will be:
 - a) a benefit to the handicapped.
 - b) a benefit to the handicapped and the community.
 - c) *misuse of tax dollars.
 - 🔭 d) a waste of timē.
- 12. The problems of the handicapped are:
 - a) too difficult for regular educators to mediate in the regular classroom.
 - b) can only be mediated by special educators.
 - c) can be mediated cooperatively by special and regular educators.
 - d) a burden on the schools

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Test Two Characteristics of Handicapped Students

- Of the behaviors listed below, which one <u>best</u> describes a student who has a visual perception problem?
 - a) Holding an object too close or too far from his eyes

b) Rubbing his eyes frequently

- c) Inability to discriminate between different symbols
- d) Inability to communicate with sign language
- Which of the following characteristics might be exhibited by a student who is having an auditory perception problem?
 - a) Inability to discriminate sounds
 - b) Watching lips of someone communicating with him
 - c) Inability to attend to an auditory stimulus
 - d) Inability to hear a stimulus
- 3. Which of the following characteristics might be demonstrated by a student who is visually impaired?
 - a) Squinting
 - b) Poor visual memory
 - c) Visual sequencing problems
 - d) Problems with visual figure-ground
- 4. An example of sensory-motor problem is:
 - a) the inability to develop consistent left or right-sided approach in use of hands or feet
 - b) the inability to use arms and legs effectively
 - c) the inability to utilize extremeties effectively
 - d) all of the above
- 5. Public Law 94-142, "The Education for All Handicapped Children Act of 1975", requires that:
 - a) all handicapped students have equal rights and educational opportunities as regular students
 - b) all handicapped students must be placed in the regular classroom
 - all handicapped students receive a free and appropriate education
 - d) b & c
 - e) a & t
- 6. Which are the major sensory areas that are important to the educational growth of a student?
 - a) Speech
 - b). Vision
 - c) Hearing
 - d) b 4 c
 - e) All of the above

- 7. Which of the following is the least restrictive environment for handicapped students?
 - a) Special classroom
 - b) Special school
 - c) Regular classroom
 - d) Resource room
- 8. If a student is experiencing difficulties in academic or social interactions, and is suspected of being educationally handicapped, the classroom teacher is required to:
 - a) send a letter to the parents of the student
 - b) inform the principal
 - c) make a referral
 - d) develop a special program for the student
- 9. Education of the handicapped student would be best accomplished in a:
 - a) special school
 - b) institution
 - c) regular classroom
 - d) special classroom
- 10. Identification of students with learning problems/handicaps should begin with:
 - a) the regular classroom teacher
 - b) special educators
 - c) psychologists
 - d) social workers
- 11. Regular educators:
 - a) should be trained to mainstream handicapped students
 - b) are not expected to teach handicapped students
 - c) should learn about handicapped students on a volunteer basis
 - d) need extra training to work with the handicapped.

Test Three P.L. 94-142 "Origins and Foundations"

- 1. The passage of Public Law 94-142 assures special education and relate services for:
 - a) severely handicapped
 - b) mildly handicapped
 - c) most handicapped children
 - d) all handicapped regardless of the severity
 - e) none of the above
- 2. During the middle ages emphasis on the handicapped was directed towards:
 - a) keeping the handicapped locked behind doors
 - b) more humane care
 - c) teaching vocational skills
 - d) ⇒both B and C
 - e) none of the above
- 3. Attempts to educate the mentally retarded began to emerge during:
 - a) the 1900's
 - b) the 1800's
 - c) the 1700's
 - d) the 1600's
- 4. Pioneers in the field of Special Education were:
 - a) Rousseu and Plato
 - b) Sabatino and Miller
 - 6) Montessori and Itard
 - d) Juan Bonet and Hewitt
- 5. Which of the following laws prohibits and federally assisted programs to discriminate against any persons due to a handicapping condition?
 - a) P.L. 93-380, Title VI-B
 - b) P.L. 93-112, Section 504
 - c) P.L. 94-145
 - d) P.L. 98-888
- 6. The ultimate purpose of ______ is to avoid wasting time and money of our courts while insuring competent decisions concerning the education of the handicapped:
 - a) Supreme Court
 - b) due process procedure
 - c) rehabilitation
 - d) occupational therapy



- 7. Equal education is associated with which of the following court cases (Litigation):
 - a) Green vs. Board of Education, Wisconsin
 - b) Brown, no Board of Education of Topeka
 - c) Spangler vs. Board of Education of Southern California
 - d) Both A and B
- 8. Rehabilitation for the mentally retarded in the nineteenth century had its first shaping step in:
 - a) institutions
 - b) public schools
 - c) colleges and universities
 - d) the home
- 9. In your opinion which is the best placement for the handicapped?
 - a) public schools. (mainstreaming)
 - b) institutions (24 hour care)
 - c) institutions (8 hour care)
- 10. In your opinion has P.L. 94-142 been:
 - a) just one big headache for educators
 - b) great in getting the handicapped appropriate services
 - ć) unnecessary
 - d) another meal ticket for lawyers

Appendix B

Analysis of Professional Education Centers-Experiences With Handicapped

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ANALYSIS OF PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION CENTERS-EXPERIENCES WITH HANDICAPPED

1.	Indicate yes or no to each question for each schoo area of responsibilities.	l wiţĥ:	in your	
	area or responsitificies.	Yes	No	
	Are handicapped students mainstreamed in this school?	,		
	Number of classrooms in the school	•	• •	
	Number of classrooms with main- streamed handicapped students.	,	'.	
	Number of self-contained classrooms for handicapped students.		•	
14	Special education resource room		,	,
2.	Does the school building receive ancillary support	servi	ces? Yes	No
	If yes, which of the following do the schools	recei	ve:	,
1 ,	1. [] Speech therapist 2. [] Psychologist 3. [] Nurse 4. [] Physical Therapist 5. [] Occupational Therapist 6. [] Social worker 7. [] Guidance Counselors 8. [] Adaptive Physical Education Teac 9. Occupational Education Coordinat 10. [] Reading specialists 11. [] Music Therapist 12. [] Audiologist 13. [] Art Therapist 14. [] Itinerant Teacher	or ,	iah	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
	cle the appropriate number:	<u>H</u>	igh	Low
3.	To what degree does the school principal actively participate in the I.E.P. meetings?		7 6 5 4 3	2 1.
4.	To what degree do special education personnel provide assistance to regular classroom teachers that have handicapped students mainstreamed in their classrooms.		76543	2 1
5.	To what degree do regular education personnel participate in I.E. meetings for handicapped students?	,	7. 6_{9÷}5.4 3	2 1



		<u>High</u>	Low
6.	To what degree is the school principal aware of state and federal laws effecting services for the handicapped?	7 6 5 4	3 2 1
7.	To what degree do regular classroom teachers provide handicapped learners specific specialized instruction?	7 6 5 4	3 2 1
8.	To what degree is this school building , accessible to handicapped students?	7 6 5 4	3 2.1
9.	To what degree do règular classroom teachers have specialized instructional materials for handicapped learners?	7 6 5 4	3, 2, 1
10.	To what degree is the school principal used as an active consultant to special education personnel on a day-to-day basis?	7 6 5 4	3 2 1
11.	To what degree do regular education personnel help formulate handicapped students program goals and objectives as stated in the I.E.P.?	· 7 6 5 4	3 2 1
12.	Circle the number of hours the regular class- room teacher received inservice training concerning P.L. 94-142.	7 6 5	3 2 1
13.	To what degree is the school principal supporting the basic concept of P.L. 94-142?	7 6 5 4	3 2 1
14.	To what degree do regular educators provide special aptitude (e.g., perceptual or conceptual training) for handicapped learners in their classroom?	7654	3, 2 1
15.	To what degree do the regular classroom teachers consult regularly with special education teachers in carrying out of the handicapped student's program	7,654	.3 2 1
16.	To what degree does the school principal appear to support the mandate of P.L. 94-142?	7 6 5 4	3 2 1
17.	To what degree do regular classroom teachers implement specific instructional goals, objectives and activities for handicapped learners in their classroom?	7 6 5 4	3 2 1
18.	To what degree are regular classroom teachers in support of the basic concept of P.L. 94-142?	7 6 5 4	3 2 1

Center Coordinator:	• •
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Southern	[]
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Suburban	, []
Rural	•

